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Transmitted herewith for filing is the divisional patent application of Iversen, et al for SAFETY CLUTCH FOR A PROSTHETIC GRIP comprising 18 pages of specification and claims.

Priority of application no. 09/576,398 filed May 22, 2000 in the US Patent Office is hereby claimed.

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